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Department of Health Care Services Children's Medical Services Network (CMS Net) - Information Bulletin #436

September 6, 2013 Change Cycle

The CMS Net applications will be down at 5:00 p.m. on Friday, September 6th and all day Saturday, September 7th. The CMS Net applications will be available starting at 6:00 a.m. on Sunday, September 8th. This update will implement changes included in the September 2013 change cycle as described below.

CMS Net Web:

Registration

- A correction to transmit updated SAR records to the Medical and Dental Fiscal Intermediaries when the CIN changes from Registration module.
- A correction to the District County Code transmitted to MEDS for distribution of Worker Alerts.
- For non-caseload participating counties, a correction to caseload logic to perform a system match (based on caseload team members and roles) or create a new caseload if the team member/role combination chosen does not yet exist.

SAR

- Added a new pop-up warning message (similar to HMO) when a case is open for diagnostic evaluation only. System will perform validation on the Medical Eligibility "Dx Only" field (yes/no). If yes, message displays "This case is open for a diagnostic evaluation only, do you want to continue?" If yes, then proceed to authorize; if no then return user to view SAR page.
- Added a new message to display why a SAR cannot be modified. Examples are previously authorized SARs or provider is no longer paneled or has become inactive with Medi-Cal.
- A correction to logic for EPSDT SARs. Counties may now authorize or deny a SAR that has been updated as "State Approved".

Correspondence

- A correction to not delete closure or denial related letters that are generated via the Client Eligibility screen when a user updates information on Registration.
- A correction to not delete referral rejection letters that are generated via the Referral Tracking screen when a user updates information on Registration and/or closes or denies the case from the Client Eligibility screen.
- Disallows the user from clicking the "Print Batch" button when no letters are present in the batch.
- Added the FAX number to the County address block for correspondences generated from CMS Net.
- A correction to series letter generation logic. When the first or second notice is cancelled, the system will not set a tickler for follow-up letter generation.

MTP

- A correction to the MTP client search screen. Status dropdown is changed to use the MTU status instead of the MTP status. Results will now display only the clients currently assigned to the selected MTU and MTU status.
- A correction to the program error received when the system failed to close the MTU assignment when the case was closed to MTP.

Provider Paneling (State Only Provider Services Unit)

A correction to update paneling status when a provider NPI has two or more records (locations) on the PMF with the same NPI, same license number and provider type. When the license expiration date on one record is updated, the system auto updates all matching record(s) with the same expiration date and panel status for all locations.

Case Notes

- Changed case note descriptions to Title Case.
- Display the "Claim/Policy Number" correctly when displays as "Ask Client".
- A correction to the MEDS Reconciliation case note to disallow entry to be flagged as error or transferred to another case.
- A correction to display correct subject code and description, when a case note is updated on the same day.
- A correction to case notes created from Legacy to display the proper subject code.

Caseload

- A correction to the caseload logic where a caseload is assigned a temporary limit, then is removed, to allow cases to be distributed into the caseload again.
- A correction to the caseload logic where a caseload case manager is removed from a case in registration, to delete the case manager from the client's case.

Miscellaneous Tickler

A correction to Add Tickler, disabling the ability to enter a date in the past.

External Interfaces

Updated the logic to extract CMS Net records for Los Angeles Counties EDMS file so that all Los Angeles Country transactions are sent, whether or not there is a county chart number present.

CMS Net Legacy:

PTR Transmission Report

A correction to the PTR Transmission Report to display the NPI for all PTRs rather than the Legacy Medi-Cal Provider ID.

CCS Pilot Project Plan Screen

A correction to disallow a case to be enrolled, disenrolled and enrolled again with the same original enrollment date within the same batch transmission to MEDS.

Enrollment and Assessment Fee Screen

- A correction to the "Assess Fee" and "Reduced Amt" fields, to remove all non-numeric values prior to save.
- A correction to display the "Case Status" in the header.

Client Eligibility

A correction to case closure logic to allow "Case Status" update to Closed when MTP Case Status is Ineligible or Closed.

PANEL:

Updated the Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ) link to remove duplicate entry for Physician paneling requirements.

PEDI:

- Removed invalid fields of "Termination Date" and "Suspend Reason" from PEDI User Security User Creation screen (Administration users only).
- A correction to Search by SAR error message. Updated to "Enter the following identifiers: Case number, CIN, SSN or Date of Birth".
- A correction to disallow non-Provider Master File (Non-PMF) entries from being registered into a PEDI domain.
- Increased the maximum phone extension length for each contact from 4 to 20.
- A correction to the diagnosis code display on report and correspondences. (System was incorrectly displaying deleted codes.)

Business Objects:

- Claims: CCS and GHPP paid claims from January 2010 through May 2012 have been loaded to the CCSCLM universe.
- Eligibility: Field "Entered By User Id" has been added to the Case Notes table. This can be linked to "USERIEN" in the User table so the users who created the case notes will display.